Greetings, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Below is the Combat Center Weekly Speedcall for July 8, 2022. Please see any attached flyers for amplifying/additional information. Of note, if departments do not provide updates to the Communication Strategy and Operations Office or confirm that their information is correct by 1000 on Thursday, no message will appear for that respective department.

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

SUMMER READING PROGRAM AT THE LIBRARIES

The Combat Center Library (Bldg. 1524) and Shadow Mountain Branch Library (Bldg. 692) are currently hosting the annual Summer Reading Program, which allows participants to venture into a summer camp-themed program full of literacy and fun. Between now and 2 August, take part in reading your favorite books and logging in the minutes to earn fun prizes! Both libraries will also have various weekly events, such as Lego Camp, Music Camp, Pizza Parties, and more. This program is for all ages, and for more information (or to RSVP attendance), please contact the libraries at 760-830-6875/4265. To register online for the Summer Reading Program, please visit https://combatcenterlibrary.beanstack.com/

COMMUNITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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COMBAT CENTER FIRE DEPARTMENT 23RD ANNUAL CHILI LUNCHEON, TICKET ON SALE!

The Combat Center Fire Department (CCFD) Annual Chili Luncheon will take place Wednesday, 11 October 2022, from 1000 to 1400 at Building 1516 Fire Station One. Pre-sale tickets are on sale for \$3.00 CASH ONLY. Stop by Building 2080, Fire Station 451 (Building 1516), Fire Station 452 (Building 5419), or ask a CCFD Firefighter! Day of event tickets will be \$4.00 CASH

ONLY. Proceeds to support annual Combined Federal Campaign and promote awareness for the public on Fire/Life Safety. For tickets, call 830-5239.

- PROVOST MARSHAL

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OPDIR 0247-21 and OPDIR 0480-21

Require users to submit for authorization in order to obtain write to removable media privileges. Initial processing of OPDIR 0247-21 and OPDIR 0480-21 requires all users who are currently utilizing write to removable media capabilities to be added to the 1st Network Battalion whitelist in order to maintain this ability. If your device has not been whitelisted, you will receive a McAfee Data Loss Prevention pop-up that states "You have plugged in an unauthorized removable storage device into a MCEN computer system. Please contact your local ISSM for details." If the external storage device is not whitelisted, users will lose the ability to write to the device once the McAfee Data Loss Prevention policy is implemented. Contact your unit's Information Systems Coordinator (ISC) in order to initiate the whitelist waiver process.

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Legal Assistance: Due to training, Legal Assistance will only be available for notaries. If you have a questions or concerns, please call (760) 830-6111.

10. ROBERT E. BUSH NAVAL HOSPITAL

Naval Hospital Twentynine Palms is now offering appointments for the Pfizer pediatric COVID-19 vaccines to eligible pediatric DoD beneficiaries 6 months through 4 years of age. COVID-19

vaccines are available by appointment only. To make an appointment, please call (760) 830-2654.

Pfizer Pediatric COVID-19 vaccination information:

- The pediatric Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine product is available to children aged 6 months through 4 years. Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine continues to be available for children 5-17 years.
- For more information on pediatric COVID recommendations, please visit: https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/planning/children.html
- COVID Vaccine schedule at a glance: https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/downloads/COVID-19-vacc-schedule-at-a-glance-508.pdf

11. COMMISSARY

PROCAMPS YOUTH FOOTBALL EVENTS ANNOUNCED FOR SELECT MILITARY BASES

This summer boys and girls in 10 military communities will be able to enjoy a football ProCamps event thanks to a partnership between Procter & Gamble (P&G) and commissaries and exchanges. The two-day camps, which are led by NFL football players, are open to first through eighth grade family members of active duty military, reservists, retirees and DOD civilian employees Read the entire news release online: https://commissaries.com/our-agency/newsroom/news-releases/select-military-bases-get-procamps-youth-football-events-nfl

WHAT'S YOUR PLAN? COMMISSARIES OFFER SAVINGS ON EMERGENCY SUPPLIES

Since 2020, the sheer number of severe storms exhausted the list of designated names. According to meteorologists, the outlook for 2022 is more of the same. Before the next hurricane or other severe storm occurs, the Defense Commissary Agency advises its patrons to be prepared and use their benefit to save money on their emergency supplies, said Marine Sgt. Maj. Michael R. Saucedo, the Defense Commissary Agency's senior enlisted advisor to the DeCA director. Read the entire news release online:

https://commissaries.com/our-agency/newsroom/news-releases/whats-your-plan-commissaries-offer-savings-emergency-supplies-0

<u>DeCA's JULY 4-17 SALES FLYER INCLUDES SAVINGS RELATED TO 'THRILL OF THE GRILL' SUMMER MEAT AND PRODUCE, NATIONAL GRILLING MONTH AND MORE</u>

The Defense Commissary Agency's (DeCA) Sales Flyer (https://www.commissaries.com/rewards-and-savings/savings-center/featured-items-sales-

<u>flyer</u>) for July 4-17 offers customers opportunities to save even more by purchasing promotional products.

DeCA's latest sales flyer features savings specific to "The Thrill of the Grill" summer meat and produce promotion and National Grilling Month, and offers customers many opportunities to maximize their benefit through other sales events. Information related to Feds Feed Families donations is also included.

Also featured in the flyer is the "Thinking Outside the Box" (TOTB) recipe for Chicken Enchilada Casserole. Thinking Outside the Box recipes are dietitian-approved and offer quick, healthy and economical solutions for home-cooked meals. Customers can save even more on the items listed on TOTB recipes.

Additionally, the sales flyer has the updated Pathway to Savings - "Instant savings and buy one, get one (BOGO) free" deals - and a select group of Commissary Rewards Card digital coupons. Many more digital coupons are available through https://shop.commissaries.com/digital-coupons. Pathway to Savings "BOGO Free" is not available for overseas stores. However, overseas customers can also enjoy instant savings by visiting their stores for selection and pricing.

Please see the attached sales list for multiple savings opportunities!

COMMISSARIES LEAD DOD EFFORT IN COLLECTIONS FOR FEDS FEED FAMILIES

On June 3, the U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) kicked off its 13th annual Feds Feed Families (FFF) campaign, aimed at encouraging employees from federal departments and agencies to give in-kind contributions - food, services, and time - to food banks and pantries. This year's campaign runs through Sept. 30, and marks the third year in a row the Department of

Defense has designated the Defense Commissary Agency (DeCA) to lead its effort, said Randall "Randy" Eller, the agency's director of logistics. "It's an opportunity for DeCA to take the lead and expand our expertise in 'serving the most deserving' to the wider American public," said Eller. "It really demonstrates the Department's commitment to helping people in need, as well as the generosity of both commissary employees and the military patrons who shop with us." Read the entire news release online: https://commissaries.com/our-agency/newsroom/newsreleases/feds-feed-families-commissaries-lead-dods-effort-collect

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITY: ACTIVE DUTY and CIVILIAN FEDERAL

EMPLOYEES.

From 12-21 July, Marine Corps University, Lejeune Leadership Institute, will be aboard MCAGCC hosting two of their most popular professional development seminars, "Lead Teams" and "Lead Self." These highly interactive seminars are open to Active Duty, Appropriated (GS, WG etc.) and Non-Appropriated

(NAF) Fund Employees. Attendees will examine various applications of leadership (Self or Team) concepts through discussions; reflections, introspection of self, critical thinking, problem solving and analytical reflections, and analytical skills needed for and by leaders.

LEAD TEAMS July 12 -14 Attendees will explore and discuss the power work teams in the government, define team, examine principles and qualities of team leaders, discuss effective and appropriate communication in teams, explain how to use this new knowledge in the workplace. The six half day sessions are dedicated to What is a Team?, Building Teams, Leading a Team, Communicating in a Team, Ethics and Teams, and closes with Reflections on Lead Teams.

KEY TERMS: Accountability, Continual Learning, Flexibility, Interpersonal, Continual Learning, Flexibility, Interpersonal Skills, Problem Solving, Oral Communication, Team Building, Decisiveness, and Influencing/Negotiating.

LEAD SELF July 19-21 Attendees will define Self and Leading Self concepts, Understand how to build one's self leadership, How to create a personal leadership philosophy. The six half day sessions include: Developing the Leader Within, Decision Making for Vision to Action, Behavioral Control and Perception, Intrapersonal Communication, Ethics & You, and closes with Lead Self Reflections.

KEY TERMS: Accountability, Continual Learning, Flexibility, Interpersonal Skills, Problem Solving, Oral and Written Communication, Integrity/Honesty, Customer Service, Problem Solving, Technical Competence, and Mission Orientation.

Both Seminars will be held in Building 1525 South. Pre-Registration is a must and can be accomplished by getting supervisor approval and emailing SMBPLMSHROTRAINING@USMC.MIL with course title(s) and attendee(s) names. Confirmation email will be sent to requestor. Questions can be addressed to the same email, or by calling 830-4723. Classes will be limited to 30 participants.

Social Media Sites

- Facebook: http://www.facebook.com/thecombatcenter

- Instagram: @thecombatcenter

- Twitter: https://twitter.com/combatcenterpao?lang=en

- Official Website: http://www.29palms.marines.mil

- MCCS Website: http://www.mccs29palms.com

- MCCS Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/#!/MCCS29Palms

- MCCS Instagram: @mccs29palms

- MCCS Twitter: https://twitter.com/mccs29palms

- MCCS YouTube: https://bit.ly/youtubemccs29palms

- MCCS Flickr photo sharing: https://www.flickr.com/photos/mccs29palms/

- MCCS Life in 29 Sign Up: https://bit.ly/lifein29

- Public Works: https://www.facebook.com/PWD.MCAGCC